



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Krag C. SMITH, *et al.*

Art Unit: 1733

Appl. No.: 10/055,966

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For: **MOTOR VEHICLE TIRES**

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 21, 2005, the due date being extended to October 21, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.